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SPECIAL NOTICE

Session Freeze Ends on May 22, 2001

The current session freeze period officially ends at 11:59 p.m. on Tuesday, May 22, 2001, the 30th day after adjournment.

Any person holding state elected office -- or anyone employed by or acting on behalf of such an official -- may begin soliciting and accepting contributions on May 23, 2001, unless a special session is in progress on that date or begins on that date. A separate freeze period is in effect until 11:59 p.m. on the date any special session adjourns. RCW 42.17.710

The Public Disclosure Commission has implemented RCW 42.17.710, and a Supreme Court decision interpreting the law, by adopting WAC 390-17-400, Time Limit to Solicit or Accept Contributions.

Information on WAC 390-17-400 can be found on the PDC website at www.pdcc.wa.gov under Guide to the Law. For more information contact Director of Public Outreach Doug Ellis at (360) 753-1111, Toll Free 1-877-601-2828, or E-mail at dellis@pdcc.wa.gov.

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